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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

**VINCENNES FELON CHARGED WITH POSSESSION OF  
STOLEN FIREARMS**

**PRESS RELEASE**

Susan W. Brooks, United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana, announced that TROY K. STROTHMAN, 18, of Vincennes, Indiana, was indicted by a federal grand jury sitting in Indianapolis for two counts of felon in possession of a firearm and one count of possession of stolen firearms, following an investigation by the Bureau of Alcohol Tobacco Firearms and Explosives.

The indictment alleges that between May 31, 2006, and July 6, 2006, STROTHMAN possessed four firearms in Daviess County, Indiana, after he had been convicted of a felony burglary in Illinois. The indictment also alleges that STROTHMAN knew that the four firearms had been stolen.

According to Assistant United States Attorney Todd S. Shellenbarger, who is prosecuting the case for the government, STROTHMAN faces a maximum possible prison sentence of 10 years and a maximum possible fine of \$250,000. An initial hearing will be scheduled before a U.S. Magistrate Judge in Evansville.

**The indictment is an allegation only, and the defendant is presumed innocent unless and until proven guilty at trial or by guilty plea.**

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